GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA

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IRRIGATION PROJECTS IN KARNATAKA
PUTTASWAMY GOWDA;RUDRAGOUDA PATIL

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) the details of Irrigation Projects taken up on priority basis by the Government of Karnataka;

(b) the total estimated expenditure likely to be incurred thereon;

(c) the share of the Centre therein;

(d) the total area of land likely to be covered thereunder; and

(e) the time by which these projects are expected to be completed ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SMT. BIJOYA CHAKRAVARTY)

(a) 7 major & medium projects of Karnataka have been included in the Accelerated Irrigation Benefits Programme (AIBP) for their early completion viz Upper Krishna Stage-I, Stage-II, Malprabha, Hirehalla, Ghatprabha, Karanja and Gandorinala.

(b) The latest estimated cost of these 7 projects is Rs. 10861.22 crores.

(c) The Central Loan Assistance (CLA) under AIBP is provided in the ratio of 2:1 (Centre : State).

(d) The ultimate potential of these projects is 1070 th.ha.

(e) The completion of these projects is linked to provision of adequate budget in the State Plan outlay.